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SUBJECT: VISAS VIPER FOR MARCH 2008 REPORTING PERIOD

¶1. Members of the Embassy Rabat and Consulate General Casablanca joint Visas Viper Committee met April 7, 2008. The meeting was chaired by the DCM and was attended by CG, CONS, RAO, LEGATT, DAO, RSO, POL and PD.

¶2. Discussion centered on two persons arrested on terrorism related charges in the Spanish enclave of Melilia named Ali Aarass and Mohammed El Bay.

¶3. A/ALAT indicated that international arrest warrants were obtained from the Kingdom of Morocco, but that she would attempt to obtain further information on the two arrested. A/ALAT has communicated with Legatt Madrid to confirm with Embassy Madrid that they would submit the names under their Visa Viper program.

¶4. The Mission's Visas Viper Coordinator is Consular Chief Miguel Ordonez.

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